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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: B. To
MIYUKI ENOKIDA et al.)
: Group Art Unit: 2172
Application No.: 09/558,656)
: Filed: April 26, 2000)
: For: DATA PROCESSING)
: METHOD AND DATA)
: PROCESSING DEVICE)
: April 19, 2004

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 17, 2003, the period for response to which having been extended to Monday, April 19, 2004 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

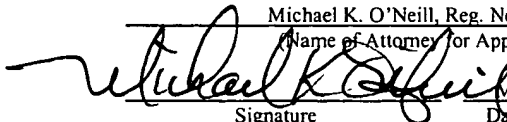
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